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Applicant: Elia Arambula Mouchawar et al.
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Examiner: M. Bockelman
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Dear Sir:

In response to the restriction requirement made in the Office Action, mailed October 3, 2003, the Examiner has identified two patentably distinct inventions, namely claims 1-14 and claims 15-35. The Examiner has required Applicants to elect one of the inventions. Therefore, Applicants elect the invention corresponding to claims 15-35. This election is made without traverse.

Respectfully submitted,

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